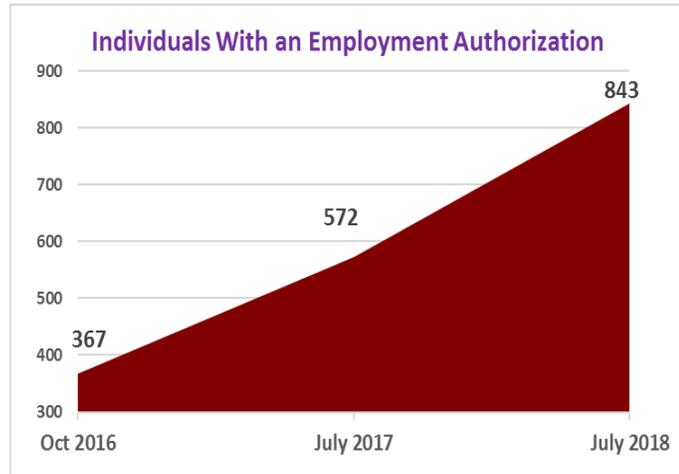


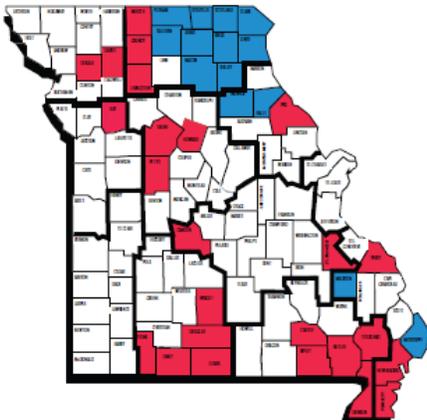
Empowering Through Employment

July 2018 Update

At the launch of the **Empowering Through Employment** initiative in October 2016, 367 individuals had an authorization for employment service. This number has increased to 843 individuals within the current month, which is an increase of **230%** since the initiative launched and a **147%** increase over the past 12 months.



TCM Ribbon Status by County



Regions and Targeted Case Management (TCM) entities are recognized by ribbon status based on the percentage of individuals with employment service authorizations. Currently, **23 TCMs** covering **39 counties** have met ribbon status.

-  35% or more individuals w/ employment auths
-  25%-34% of individuals w/ employment auths
-  13%-24% of individuals w/ employment auths

Regional Count of Individuals

Individuals with any employment authorization are the primary indicator. There has been a statewide point in time increase of **271** individuals since July 2017. The largest increases are in **Kansas City, Poplar Bluff, Rolla and Central Missouri Regional Offices.**

Individuals with authorized employment supports by Regional Office

